

**Senate File 2230 - Introduced**

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act creating a community violence task force.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. COMMUNITY VIOLENCE TASK FORCE.

2 1. The attorney general shall establish a statewide  
3 community violence task force to investigate violence in  
4 communities, including gun violence, to review proposed  
5 solutions to such violence, and to develop and make  
6 recommendations for establishing safe communities free from  
7 violence throughout the state. The members of the task force  
8 shall include stakeholders in the criminal justice system,  
9 community leaders, local government officials, and legislators.  
10 2. The community violence task force shall submit a report  
11 containing recommendations to the general assembly by January  
12 15, 2017.

13 EXPLANATION

14 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
15 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

16 This bill provides that the attorney general shall establish  
17 a community violence task force to investigate violence in  
18 communities around the state, to review proposed solutions to  
19 such violence, and to develop and make recommendations for  
20 establishing safe communities free from violence throughout the  
21 state.

22 The bill provides that the members of the task force shall  
23 include stakeholders in the criminal justice system, community  
24 leaders, local government officials, and legislators.

25 The bill requires the task force to submit a report  
26 containing recommendations to the general assembly by January  
27 15, 2017.